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5. [redacted] Ray Jacobson, Director of Bureau of Policies and Standards, Civil Service Commission, called as a follow up to my conversation yesterday with Bernard Rosen, Executive Director, CSC, regarding the Ervin bill rider to the Civil Rights Commission bill. Jacobson said that Chairman Hampton felt most strongly that any legislation along the lines of either the Ervin bill or the somewhat milder Hanley bill would create very serious problems for all the Executive agencies and disposed to oppose any and all such legislation. When I indicated that the Agency could get along reasonably well with the Hanley bill, Jacobson said he hoped we would not promote this idea except as a last resort. We reviewed the membership of the House Judiciary and Post Office & Civil Service Committees and decided which of us would see whom. As a first step we will separately contact John Martiny, Chief Counsel, House Post Office & Civil Service Committee, in hopes of prevailing on him to influence Chairman Dulski to assert his jurisdictional authority.

Later in the day, Jacobson called to say he had talked with John Martiny, General Counsel, House Post Office & Civil Service Committee, and made clear the Commission's opposition to any version of the Ervin rider. I told Jacobson of my conversation with Martiny and our understanding that the Post Office & Civil Service Committee would not assert their jurisdiction over the legislation in question and we should therefore concentrate our efforts 25X1 on members of the Judiciary Committee.

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